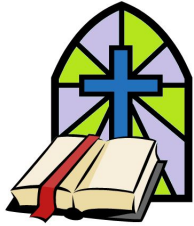


**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
JUNE 11TH, 2017**



**MASSES FOR THE WEEK
AT OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH:**

SATURDAY **JUNE 10th:**
8:00 pm Joseph Caccavo, Sr.
5:00 pm Henry J. Scroope, III

SUNDAY **JUNE 11th:**
7:30 am Deceased & Living Fathers of Bonaguro,
Langone, Emerling & Yeno Families
9:00 am Barbara Fitzsimmons
10:30 am Frederick Blossfeld
NOON Josephine Cestra

MONDAY **JUNE 12th:**
7:30 am Father's Day Novena
8:30 am Joseph Montalbano

TUESDAY **JUNE 13th:**
7:30 am Health of the Garzon-Borda Family
8:30 am Honor of St. Anthony of Padua
9:15 am **ST. ANTHONY'S FEAST DAY**
In Honor of Catherine Fortunato

WEDNESDAY **JUNE 14th:**
7:30 am Ana Maria Romero
8:30 am Angelo & Michelle Aromando

THURSDAY **JUNE 15th:**
7:30 am Charlie Ang
8:30 am Rudolph Dalessandro Jr.

FRIDAY **JUNE 16th:**
7:30 am Father's Day Novena
8:30 am Demetrio Luis

SATURDAY **JUNE 17th:**
8:00 am Joseph Caccavo, Jr.
5:00 pm Maria Rosa DiMeglio

SUNDAY **JUNE 18th:**
7:30 am Thomas J. Ginch
9:00 am Joseph A. Magliocco
10:30 am Fred Gambale
12:00 NOON Paolo & Donata Pesce



MORNING DEVOTIONS

Following weekday 8:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Pity: Recitation of the Rosary. On First Fridays only there is the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour. On Saturday following the 8 am Mass, novena prayers are said.

At St. Anthony of Padua there is Recitation of the Rosary and Devotions after the weekday 7:30 am

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK
AT ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH:**

SATURDAY **JUNE 10th:**
5:00 pm Andrew Roddini

SUNDAY **JUNE 11th:**
8:00 am Hayley Filippini
11:00 am **Celebration of the Feast of St. Anthony**
Helen Wolenski – Birthday in Heaven

MONDAY **JUNE 12th:**
7:30 am Stanislawa Mazurkiewicz

TUESDAY **JUNE 13th:**
9:00am FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY
For All Parishioners

WEDNESDAY **JUNE 14th:**
7:30 am Stanislawa Mazurkiewicz

FRIDAY **JUNE 16th:**
7:30 am Stanislawa Mazurkiewicz

SATURDAY **JUNE 17th:**
5:00 pm Michael, Lucille & Frank DeChiaro

SUNDAY **JUNE 18th:**
8:00 am Michael Vecsi, John Hagan, & Paul Wicinski
11:00 am FATHER'S DAY NOVENA

MEMORIALS FOR WEEK OF JUNE 11th:



OUR LADY OF PITY

The **Main Altar Candles**
are being offered in memory of:

BARBARA FITZSIMMONS

requested lovingly by Mickie, Doug, Grace & Marty

Anyone wishing to offer a memorial of Wine, Host or Sanctuary lamp in memory of their loved ones or any intention at either church, please contact the respective rectory Monday – Friday, 10:00am–4:00pm

SRI LANKAN MASS

Each Sunday at 6:00 pm here at Our Lady of Pity, Fr. Mendis holds a Sri Lankan Mass. All are welcome.



FEAST OF SAINT ANTHONY

Sunday, June 11, 2017

St. Anthony of Padua Church

11:00am Mass & Procession through streets of Travis with Italian Marching Band.

Refreshments in Parish Hall after Procession.

Anyone wishing to memorialize flowers for a loved one, living or deceased or a special intention of St. Anthony, please call the rectory.

St. Anthony 718-761-6660

Our Lady of Pity 718-761-5421

Our Lady of Pity Church

A special Mass honoring St. Anthony, and in memory of Catherine Fortunato Esposito, will be held at Our Lady of Pity on Tuesday, June 13th at 9:15 am at which time the blessed bread of St. Anthony will be distributed.

OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH:

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY JUNE 17th:

5:00 pm A. Davis – J. Salcedo

SUNDAY JUNE 18th:

7:30 am B. Madaio – M. Madaio

9:00 am K. Carpenito – Mar. Pastena

10:30 am J. Almero – M. Mendez

NOON E. Bocchieri – J. Bocchieri

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY: JUNE 17th:

5:00 pm M. Salcedo

SUNDAY JUNE 18th:

7:30 am R. Rose

9:00 am N. Tricorico

10:30 am L. Buttacavoli

NOON C. Daniels

ALTAR BOY MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY JUNE 17th:

5:00 pm J. Bosco-C. Baria-E. Baria

SUNDAY JUNE 18th:

7:30 am D. Pangilinan-J. Inigo

9:00 am M. Maguire-I. Maguire-H. Bailey

10:30 am R. Eckman-J. Venditto-J. Flood-N.

Lopez

NOON M. Santa-M. Santa-F. Aum

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



JOHN 3:16-18

In this beautiful passage, Jesus tells Nicodemus that God loved his people so much that he “gave his only son.” Jesus reveals to Nicodemus that anyone who believes in him will not die but will enjoy life with him for all eternity.

HIS WORD TODAY

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

“Having come down in a cloud, the Lord stood with Moses there and proclaimed his name, ‘Lord.’ Thus the Lord passed before him and cried out, ‘The Lord, the Lord, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity. Moses at once bowed down to the ground in worship. Then he said ‘If I find favor with you, O Lord, do come along in our company.’”

Children sing with great gusto ‘Our God is an awesome God...’ Any words we use to describe God fall short of reality, whether it be the Trinity or each Person. Maybe we should grab the descriptive words of Exodus to describe God, as we know the three Divine Persons through their activity of creator, redeemer and animator.

God is merciful, the wonderful virtue emphasized by Pope Francis. Our God is gracious or considerate of us in our need, one of the fruits of the Spirit as described by St. Paul. Our God is one not to take offense, He doesn’t get mad, but perhaps at times He is disappointed with us and He is filled with kindness, one of the fruits of the Spirit described by Saint Paul. God is always true to His word and fulfilling His promises. We can apply all these characteristics to the God we praise on this Trinity Sunday.

SHUT-INS

If any member of your family is homebound and unable to attend Mass, please notify the rectory and if you wish, a priest or an extraordinary minister will bring them the Eucharist on the first Friday of every month.

BEREAVEMENT

"Blessed are those who mourn; for they shall be comforted."
-Matthew 5:4.

Our Bereavement Minister, Deacon Michael Venditto, is available to assist anyone who has experienced a loss. Call the rectory (718-761-5421) weekdays between 9 am and 5 pm to set up an appointment with Deacon Michael.



2017 CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

To date our parish has received \$69,131.00 in pledges/gifts toward the 2017 Cardinal's Appeal from 283 families. Our goal is \$93,500.00. As always, thank you to those who have faithfully supported the Appeal this year and in all the years past. There is still time for those who have not yet made their pledge.



JOIN THE CHOIRS

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New members are always welcome and should introduce themselves to the organist, Mr. Ron D'Albero after the

weekend Masses.

The Adult Choir practices on Wednesday at 8 pm in the Parish Center.

The Youth Choir is on vacation for the summer months.

For information call our Music Director Ron at 347-770-3477

Choir at St. Anthony of Padua meets after the 11:00 am Sunday Mass. Or call Fernando Pascual, Music Director at 718-494-6438.



ROSARIAN ANNUAL FLEA MARKET

Date: Saturday, June 17th from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm in the church parking lot. NO ADMISSION FEE.

COST: \$40. Per space. Check or money order to be made payable to Our Lady of Pity Church. There will be no refunds after May 27th. All types of dealers are

welcomed and can arrive by 7:30am. Refreshments are available. If interested, call Lena at 718-761-8216.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our Lady of Pity: Second Sunday of the month Mass at 10:30 am; that Monday is their meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

St. Anthony of Padua: Second Sunday of every month at 8:00 am Mass, meeting follows Mass.



The SICK

Prayer Request for Sick Parishioners

Every worshipping community is called to pray for the sick or elderly in their parish. It is a privilege to ask Our Lord to heal and strengthen the sick. ***The Prayer List for the Sick*** is our way of reaching out to our parishioners, young and elderly, who have received a critical diagnosis and are unable to go about the routines of life:

Hugo Acciavatti, MaryAnn Azzarello, Brook Balacco, Mary Ellen Bednar, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Joseph Crescenzi Sr., Elsie Cuevas, Dom Dealto, Carol Divine, Lillian Miner, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Lenora Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galetto, Annette McGoff, Frank Alexis Ragusa, Philip Ragusa, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi.

The listed names above for those asking for prayers has been updated according to months on the list.

Those remaining have been reinstated by parishioners calling after the six month period. If anyone wishes to put a name back or to add a new name of a parishioner who is sick please contact the rectory Mon.-Fri. from 9 am to 5 pm.

ORGANIZATIONS AT OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH

We cordially invite all parishioners from St. Anthony of Padua's Church to join any of the groups at Our Lady of Pity. Following are the group titles and days they meet:

Golden Age Tues. 12-3 pm Parish Center
(There will be no Golden Age meeting on June 13th.)
The last Golden Age meeting will be **June 20th**.

Legion of Mary Thurs. 7:00 pm St. Jude Chapel

WOMEN'S SOCIETIES

Our Lady of Pity Rosary Altar Society: Mass First Sunday of every month at 9:00 am and that Monday is their meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

St. Anthony of Padua Ladies Auxiliary: Meet on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Church basement. New members are always welcome.

FOOD FOR THE NEEDY

Place nonperishable food items in a bag and place them in the back of **St. Anthony's Church**. Thank you and God Bless.



SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

We are in need of CCD teachers. If interested please contact Frank Marchese @ 718-494-0308 or e-mail Frank.Marchese.Ourladyofpity@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA YOUTH GROUP

The Youth Group meets every third Friday of the month in the parish center. New members are always welcome! See Mr. Frank or Mrs. Joanne for details or email frank.marchse.ourladyofpity@gmail.com. Grades 6-8 and High School. Any type of donations to our youth group program will be greatly appreciated.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all our parishioner, family and friends who came out to support the youth group of Our Lady of Pity-St. Anthony of Padua. We would also like to thank our families and local vendors for all your generous donations.

A special thank you to Ampy Caruso and Marie-Elena Marchese for all their endless support with the basket auction and making sure everything was perfect!

RCIA PROGRAM

If you or a friend are interested in becoming Catholic,

or perhaps you need to be confirmed, the RCIA Program invites you to meet every Wednesday at 7:30 pm in our Parish Center. No registration necessary.



BUS TRIP

Golden Nugget Casino, June 28th. Bus leaves Our Lady of Pity @ 9:00 am. Cost is \$38 with \$25 cash back and free buffet. We **must** have at least 35 people to go. For information and reservation please call Agnes Davis at 718-494-5475



GOLDEN JACKPOT

The 17th Annual St. Anthony's Golden Jackpot Fund Raiser will be held on Saturday, September 9, 2017. Only 300 tickets will be sold. Each ticket is \$100. The prizes are \$10,000, \$2,500, and \$1,000. (prizes may vary if all tickets are not sold). A ticket also entitles **2 adults** to attend the social at St. Anthony's hall on September 9th. To reserve or purchase a ticket, please see a committee member or call Kathy Kryger at the Rectory (718) 761-6660 or Sue Wicinski (917) 596-2978.

WE HAVE NUMBERS AVAILABLE.

St. Rita School

A Tradition of Excellence, A Future of Promise
Call 718-761-2504 to schedule your SCHOOL TOUR TODAY! 30 Welbrook Ave., S.I., NY
www.stritaschoolsi.org Free Pre-K for all 4 year old program, Apply online for Pre-K 3-8th Grade at www.ApplyCatholicSchoolNY.org Financial Assistance Available for new students, Kindergarten through Grade 8 100% of our 2017 graduates were accepted into their Catholic High School of their choice and were awarded \$265,710 in scholarships. We are a Richmond County Savings Foundation Blended Learning School.

Clare Employment Group

The St. Clare's Employment Group provides job

search assistance and career advisement to the unemployed and their families, and anyone who is concerned about a layoff or career advancement. We also provide one on one employment advisement by appointment. To make an appointment or for general information, please call the Rectory at 718-984-7873. The St. Clare's Employment Group Schedule for May and June will be as follows:

June 15, 2017 – "Building and Maintaining a Network of Contacts"

Our group meetings start at 7:30 pm and take place in the St. Clare's Presentation Center, 169 Lindenwood Rd. S.I., NY 10308.

ELECTRONIC GIVING (PARISH PAY PROGRAM)

This is an alternate means of supporting your parish instead of using the envelope system. This program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, savings or credit card accounts. There is **NO COST** to you, the parishioner, to participate in this program.

Log onto www.paritypay.com or call 1-866-727-4741 Ext. 1

ST. ANTHONY'S 50/50

The monthly envelopes for the **JUNE** "50/50" drawing are available in the back of St. Anthony's church. The fee is \$5 per envelope and you can enter as many times as you wish.

OUR LADY OF PITY 50/50

The monthly envelopes for the **JUNE** "50/50" drawing are available in the back of the church. The fee is \$5 per envelope and you can enter as many times as you wish. Please place your envelope in the collection basket. **Cash only**, no checks please.

A TASTE OF THE LAUREN HIGHLAND, PENNSYLVANIA

Sunday – Wednesday, July 23rd – 26th, 2017
\$799 per person twin/\$1,039 per person single

Trip Includes:

3 Hearty Breakfast Buffets at the Hotel including 1 Farewell Mimosa Breakfast
3 Dinners and 1 Lunch plus a Red Carpet Welcome and Reception
An Evening Musical Revue
Italian Marketplace for Olive Oil Tasting & Product Sampling
Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater and Kentuck Knob
Paint a Souvenir Olive Oil Bottle and enjoy a homemade biscotti
Flight 93 National Memorial Site & Visitor's Center

Quecreek Mine Rescue Foundation
Fort Ligonier – Pre Revolutionary Fort
The Compass Inn Museum
Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
All tips and taxes (except local guides & bus driver)
For information and reservation please contact
Deacon Joseph Rentkowski @ 718-727-4567



OUR LADY OF PITY PRESENTS From Hunterton Hills Playhouse An All New Patriotic Musical "The Land We Love"

Tuesday Matinee – August 8, 2017

Price: \$87.00 Includes Transportation

Full Course Meal, Show, Fabulous Deserts and Gratuities.

Bus leaves Our Lady of Pity Parking Lot at 9:45 am

For reservations: Call Lena, 718-761-8216

FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY Sunday, June 11, 2017 St. Anthony of Padua Church

Many thanks to the Knights of Columbus – St. Anthony Council 16134 for their donation of the St. Anthony bread, cookies and beverages.

Sincerest thanks to the parishioners who made special donations for the altar flowers.

Sue & Paul Wicinski – Wreath of Flowers

In memory of Florence & John Hagan

Sue & Paul Wicinski – Vase

In memory of Michael Vecsi

Helen Keiling, Rose Ragonese & Dotty Dantoni
Vase

In memory of the Wolenski & Wicinski Families

Anne Modzelewski – Vase

Special Intention

Linda Buttacavoli – Vase

Special Intention

Genni & Frank Ottomanelli – Vase

In memory of Frank Ottomanelli, Jr.

Kathy Kryger – Lilies

SAINT FRANCIS CATHOLIC SINGLES

St. Francis Catholic Singles is a contemporary circle of men and women in their 30s, 40s, and 50s who are single or single again and wish to lead more fulfilled, empowered lives by deepening their Catholic spirituality and building community with like minded peers. New and returning members always welcome. Holy Family Parish, 366 Watchogue Road, S.I., NY 718-761-6663

16th Annual Spring-into-Summer Party

Saturday, June 24th, 7:30 – 11:30 pm with dinner, deejay, and door prizes at the Mansion Grand. New and returning members welcomed! Cost is \$60 if postmarked by June 5th, afterward \$70. Please make checks out to CASH and mail to Holy Family, Attention June Singles Party by June 19th.

LUCKY 40 CLUB

Congratulations!!

The winners for week # 14 of the Lucky 40 Club are:

Susan Duval and Kathy Merlino